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Group Art Unit: 3761 re Patent Application of Examiner: CATHARINE L. Arie Cornelis Besemer et al. **ANDERSON** Application No.: 09/937,326 Confirmation No.: 9428 Filing Date: September 25, 2001 Title: HYGIENIC ABSORBENT WITH ODOUR CONTROL

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:							
the			nt(s) requests continued examination under 790 fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).	37 C.F.R. § 1.114	4 and enclose		
1.		A. Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified in item 2 below.					
	\boxtimes	B.	Applicant(s) previously submitted the following documents for which continued examination is requested:				
		\boxtimes	Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 3 on July 17, 2006.	7 C.F.R. § 1.116	previously filed		
			Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on				
			Other:				
2.	The	The following documents are enclosed with this submission:					
		Amendment/Reply. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).		69/10/2006			
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	Ш	Other: [List Other documents filed with submission here]		
3.		Small entity status is hereby claimed.		
\boxtimes	No additional claim fee is required.			
	The fee is calculated below on the basis of the highest number of claims already paid for this application prior to this submission:			

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Examination Fee (180	1)				\$	790
	No. of Claims		Extra Claims	Rate		
Total Claims	0	Minus 20=	0	x 50 (1202)	\$	0
Independent Claims	0	Minus 3=	0	x 200 (1201)	\$	0
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$ 360				\$	0	
Total Fee			\$	0		
☐ Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Application Fee				\$	0	
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4.		Charge to Deposit Account No. 02-4800 for the fee due.
5.		A check in the amount of is enclosed for the fee due.
6.	\boxtimes	Charge \$ 790.00 to credit card for the fee due. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
7.		Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.

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8. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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